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FOR : **MICROFABRICATED BIOPOLYMER SCAFFOLDS
AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL
OFFICE ACTION MAILED JULY 15, 2008**

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on July 15, 2008, Applicants respectfully request entry and consideration of the following Amendment and Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111. This Response was first due on October 15, 2008. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time and the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3), for a small entity, is enclosed herewith. With this extension, the Amendment and Response is considered timely filed by January 15, 2009. If any additional fees are required or if any refunds are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit Deposit Account Number: 50-0311, Customer Number: 35437, Reference Number: 36796-502C01US.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 11 of this paper.